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SUBJECT: SOVIET LETTER TO WESTERN CP'S ON HUMAN RIGHTS?

WASHINGTON POST MOSCOW CORRESPONDENT PETER OSNOS HAS IT
FROM SOVIET SOURCE THAT SOVIETS HAVE SENT LETTER TO WEST
EUROPEAN CP'S DEFENDING USSR RECORD ON HUMAN RIGHTS.

THIS WOULD BE IN LINE WITH KIRILENKO'S SPEECH AT NANTERRE
DURING PCF CONGRESS, AND NOT IMPLAUSIBLE IN VIEW OF
DEMONSTRATED SENSITIVITY IN MEDIA (AND POLICY) TO

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WESTERN CSCE IMPLEMENTATION DEMANDS, BUT WE HAVE

BEEN UNABLE TO CONFIRM IT HERE. ANY INFO SHEDDING
LIGHT ON REPORT WHICH ADDRESSEES CAN DEVELOP WOULD
BE APPRECIATED. STOESSEL

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